

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, MAY 6, 2008**, upon the application of **HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **WB 16A MKR RC SU, the WB 2A RLAY SU, the 16-16A MKR Zone, Reservoir A and the 17 MKR-2A Zone, Reservoir A**, in the West Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

1. To dissolve the WB 16A MKR RC SU, as established by Office of Conservation Order No. 396-NN-1, effective May 8, 1973 and to dissolve the WB 2A RLAY SU, as established by Order No. 396-UU, effective April 7, 1978, and simultaneously therewith, to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the 16-16A MKR Zone, Reservoir A and the 17 MKR-2A Zone, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created.
3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the units so created, as may be appropriate.
4. To provide that the 16-16A MKR Zone, Reservoir A and the 17 MKR-2A Zone, Reservoir A, should be exempt from the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the 16-16A MKR Zone, Reservoir A and the 17 MKR-2A Zone, Reservoir A, by supplemental orders and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner of Conservation.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 16-16A MKR Zone, Reservoir A is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered from 6,846' to 6,917' electric log measured depths (6,076' to 6,133' TVD) in the Hilcorp Energy Company-Buras Levee District "E" No. 187 Well, located in Section 7, Township 23 South, Range 31 East.

The 17 MKR-2A Zone, Reservoir A is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered from 7,030' to 7,174' electric log measured depths (6,223' to 6,338' TVD) in the Hilcorp Energy Company-Buras Levee District "E" No. 187 Well, located in Section 7, Township 23 South, Range 31 East.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.